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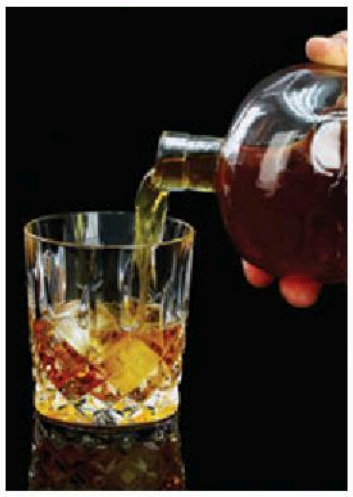
# Roads within city exempted from highway liquor ban: SC

New Delhi, July 4 (BCT)- In a major relief for pubs, bars and restaurants shut down along the State and National Highways, the Supreme Court said that there was nothing wrong with denotifying highways if such roads are within a city.

The apex court said this morning the purpose of its ban was to ensure high-speeding vehicles on Highways don't have drivers under influence of liquor. **"There are no such issues when the roads are within the city. Denotifying such roads as highways may have intelligible differentia,"** a Bench headed by Chief Justice J.S. Khehar said. The expression 'intelligible differentia' means difference capable of being understood.

The Court indicated it was not willing to interfere in the reclassification of National and State Highways in Chandigarh as district roads to get around its ban on sale of liquor along highways.

The Supreme Court statement comes in the wake of it (SC) hearing a plea against the decision of the Chandigarh administration to denotify certain roads allegedly with an aim to 'circumvent' its verdict banning liquor vends within 500 metres from the State and National highways. **The court has deferred hearing on the plea to July 11.**



The plea was filed by an NGO, Arrive Safe Society, of Chandigarh that has alleged that the administration issued the notification to bypass Supreme Court's December 15, 2016 order banning liquor vends in National and State Highways. The NGO had moved the top court after Punjab and Haryana High Court dismissed its plea holding that it could not refer any law which has been violated while issuing the said notification.

**In Mysuru district, over 165 bars including those State and National Highways that cut through the city limits closed on the midnight of June 30 to comply with the July 1 deadline imposed by the Apex Court and they were waiting for relief from the Supreme Court or the Centre.**

The SC, had earlier said that the ban extended to not just liquor vending shops, but bars and pubs too. In cities and large towns, these establishments could not function if they are within 500 metres of a Highway.

In Mysuru, there are 46 bars and restaurants on the State Highways and there are 119 in National Highways. In all, there are 495 bars and restaurants and the licences of 330 outlets were renewed on June 30 as they did not come under the Supreme Court order. The licences of 165 bars were not renewed. The latest Supreme Court order has come as a relief to them.

# It will be a Dasara to remember this year

## CM to chair High Power Dasara Committee meeting on July 17 or 18

*District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa, who chaired a Dasara meeting in city this morning, is seen with DC D. Randeep, MLA Kalale Keshavamurthy, MCC Commissioner G. Jagadeesha and others.*

Mysuru, July 4 (RK&BCT)- A host of entertainment activities will be the main attractions in this year's Dasara and all the events starting from 'Gajapayana' will be celebrated in a grand way. In all possibilities, Dasara 2017 will be an awe-inspiring affair after last year's low-key celebrations due to drought and it looks like the State Government will ensure that it is a grand celebration as Karnataka will go to polls in early 2018.

At the first preliminary meeting of Dasara Committee held this morning at the Government Guest House that was chaired by PWD and District In-Charge Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa, it was decided to make it a celebration worth to remember.

The meeting was attended by officials from various departments and the Police.

The practice of designing new logos every year will be discontinued and a permanent and attractive logo will be designed this year that will be followed in future years, said Minister Dr. Mahadevappa. The logo will reflect the heritage of Mysuru and the contributions of Wadiyars who ruled Mysore.

**(See DASARA on page 9)**

# A.H. Vishwanath joins JD(S)

*JD(S) State President H.D. Kumaraswamy seen presenting the party flag to A.H. Vishwanath who joined JD(S) at a function organised at J.P. Bhavan in Bengaluru today as JD(S) supremo and former PM H.D. Deve Gowda and others look on.*

Bengaluru, July 4 (KMS&KS)- Senior Congress leader and former MP A.H. Vishwanath, today joined JD(S) along with his followers at a function organised at J.P. Bhavan in Bengaluru.

JD(S) supremo H.D. Deve Gowda and party State President H.D. Kumaraswamy inducted Vishwanath into the party by presenting him with the party flag.

About 10 Congress members and followers of Vishwanath from Mysuru and Kodagu districts also joined the JD(S).

Speaking after being inducted into the JD(S), Vishwanath said that he would fight for the rights of the people and work under the guidance of H.D. Deve Gowda by touring the State to strengthen the party. He said "Though I have changed the party, my agenda remains the same."

Former MLA Basavaraj, Prof. Govindaiah and other leaders were present.

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| (Maximum : 124.80 feet) | |
| Inflow | 5,383 cusecs |
| Outflow | 2,142 cusecs |
| Last year on this date | 85.90 ft |

### STAR PUNCH

By Satish Acharya

# STAR OF MYSORE

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Mysuru, Tuesday 4th July 2017


# Managing mental illness

**Ironically though, budgetary provision by the land's successive governments for addressing issues of healthcare continues to be meagre while the country hosts more people with life-threatening afflictions such as cancer and malaria than any other country across the world. While diabetes and cardiovascular diseases have been hogging heightened attention in public domain, often with estimates of the extent of the suffering population both numerically and as a ratio of the country's total headcount, the case of *mental* illness bugging the masses seems to be sidelined. The norms of number of *qualified* doctors per lakh of population in any country, as stipulated by World Health Organisation is reportedly many times more than the doctor-population ratio obtained in the country. Further, India's villages continue to be perceived by the doctor fraternity as out of bounds for good and not-so-good reasons.**

**The nation is currently witnessing healthcare being perceived as a highly paying enterprise, given the emergence of super-speciality hospitals in both public and private sectors, Mysuru too figuring in the country's map of institutions with professionals enjoying high peer rating and state-of-the-art equipment and services.**

**Times were then in which the now-accepted honourable expression *mental illness* was described as madness, with the well-known stigma attached to the sufferers of the affliction. They were *ill-treated* in the society at large, being mostly unwelcome in their own homes and family circles, not to talk of being *treated* by qualified psychiatrists and medical professionals specialising in treating problems of a disturbed mind. While the realities concerning the plight of mentally ill *citizens* across the country doesn't portray the society of our times in good light, the country received new legislation on March 30 this year — *Mental Healthcare Act* (passed unanimously by voice vote in Parliament) promising the *right* to access mental healthcare to all citizens of the land.**

**In the backdrop of the land reportedly hosting more than 60 million mentally ill people and nearly 90 per cent of that population not receiving medical attention, the stipulation of the aforementioned Act to provide for mental healthcare in every district under the aegis of the State government by Jan. 7, 2018 deserves to be complied with both in letter and spirit. The onus of families having mentally ill members for their care is no less.**

## EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

***Birth control, or deciding whether to have a baby, is at once a personal decision and a societal one. The woman must have a say in this, since it will affect her health, welfare, freedom of choice and way of life. A huge population increase will affect the resources of the society. Individual freedom and societal concerns are at the two ends of the spectrum, just as conception and contraception are. While the decision to have a baby should be left by and large to the woman, population control has become a national policy since a burgeoning population drains the food supply, standard of living, economic and social growth. Through the ages, several methods have been adopted for contraception. Many devices - implants, female and male condoms and surgical sterilisation of males and females - have been used. But the safest (and least intrusive) is the use of chemical molecules, or "pills" in common parlance.***

*— D. Balasubramanian in The Hindu.*

## NEWS SPARKLERS

### Partition Wooden Wall!

Mexico: Photos of the bizarre wall separating an events hall into two areas have been doing the rounds on social media for a week. Local media reports that the party was organised by the "Colegio de Bachilleres," a State college in Cozumel, for its 2014-2017 generation of graduates. However, following the recent backlash on social media, the learning institution has passed all responsibility for the wall in the hands of a private company that it had hired to take care of the event.

Apparently, apart from special bracelets provided to attendees and their guests who had paid the cost of attending the celebration, the company thought it would be a good idea to humiliate those who hadn't paid, by having them sit on rows of folding chairs, in a small space right next to the party, behind a tall wooden wall. All they could do was listen to the people on the other side having fun, because the wall was so high that they couldn't see over it even while standing up.

### Typical men!

Mexico: In what many are calling the lie of the century, a die-hard football fan from Puebla, Mexico, told his wife that he was stepping out to buy a pack of cigarettes, but ended up boarding a plane to Germany, and then driving to Russia, to see his national football team play in the Confederations Cup.

Antonio Garcia recently got his five minutes of fame on the internet, after news of his escapade to Mexico's match against Russia, in Kazan, went viral on social media. The man had reportedly told his wife that he was going out to buy a pack of cigarettes, but he actually travelled to Monterey, where he got on a plane to Wolfsburg, Germany and from there he drove to Kazan, Russia, where he joined hundreds of other Mexican fans in supporting the national football team. The ardent football fan later revealed that his wife had eventually found out that he had travelled to Russia for the match, but it's not clear yet if she knows that he spent his life savings on the trip. He might want to consider buying her a nice gift on his way back, just to be sure he still has a home to get back to.

## HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

### What can I do to lower my risk of heart disease?

One of the best and easiest ways to maintain heart health is to drink pomegranate juice every day. Just 1.7 oz of pomegranate juice daily can lower blood pressure by 5% in 2 weeks. It prevents, even reverses atherosclerotic plaque build-up in the coronary arteries.

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## DC inaugurates Indian Water Works Association

***Deputy Commissioner D. Randeep is seen lighting the lamp to inaugurate the Mysuru Centre of Indian Water Works Association (IWWA) at the Institution of Engineers on JLB Road here on July 2 as MCC Commissioner G. Jagadeesha and others look on.***

Mysuru, July 4- Observing that people should understand how valuable water is at least after seeing the struggles and agitations for water going on everyday, Deputy Commissioner (DC) D. Randeep regretted that some people were unnecessarily wasting precious water.

He was speaking after inaugurating the Mysuru Centre of Indian Water Works Association (IWWA) at the Institution of Engineers on JLB Road here on Sunday.

Pointing out that the Association was organising awareness programmes on conservation of underground water and rain water harvesting, Randeep said that only 50 percent of pipeline water supplied is being utilised for drinking purpose while the rest 50 per cent was going waste, which the Water Works Association was trying to prevent through concerted efforts.

Detailing the challenges ahead, he wished the Association all success in its endeavour.

MCC Commissioner G. Jagadesha, Indian Institute of Science Professor Dr. M.S. Mohan Kumar, IWWA Chairman G.M. Madegowda and others were present.

## Really...?

- ***There is only one pink bottlenose dolphin which has been discovered, in an inland lake in Louisiana, USA.***
- ***China has the most goats in the world, they have over 170 million.***
- ***A chicken with red ear lobes will produce brown eggs, and a chicken with white ear lobes will produce white eggs.***

## LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

***Harry prays to God:*** *Dear Lord, please make me win the lottery.*
***The next day Harry begs the Lord again:*** *Please make it so I win the lottery, Lord!*
***The next day, Harry again prays:*** *Please, please, dear Lord, make me win the lottery!*
***Suddenly he hears a voice from above:*** *Harry, would you kindly go and buy a lottery ticket !!*

## Today's Currency Rate

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| 1 US Dollar | = Rs. 64.80 |
| 1 UK Pound | Rs. 83.87 |
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| 1 Euro | = Rs. 73.68 |

VOICE OF THE READER

# Public grievance on postal service

Sir,

Post Offices are invariably the preferred destination for secure investments of small savings of government employees — serving and retired — as well as the general public.

But for the past several weeks, Post Offices (PO) are facing acute shortage of passbooks, resulting in hardships for customers wishing to open accounts.

In such an event the PO should at least issue an acknowledgement for having received the deposit money, application and related documents, with an indication of a firm date as to when they can collect the passbook. As of now, there is no such practice.

Customers, especially senior citizens, cannot be asked to visit again and again to check whether the account is opened, and whether the related documents are ready. It is not understood as to why Post Offices cannot maintain adequate stock of essential forms, passbooks etc., by advance planning, instead of having to face a situation of totally no stock.

It is hoped that the authorities concerned would take urgent action to address this problem at the earliest.

**— A concerned citizen**
Mysuru
2.7.2017

# 'Rediscover, Reorient and Reinvent NSS,' says Prof. S.N. Hegde

Mysuru, July 4- The NSS-Empanelled Training Institute (NSS-ETI) for Karnataka, University of Mysore, has organised the 4th batch of Training for NSS Programme Officers of different Universities and Directorates of Karnataka at the National Centre for History of Science (NCHS) building in Manasagangothri here.

Prof.S.N. Hegde, former Vice-Chancellor, University of Mysore, who inaugurated the programme on July 2, urged all the NSS functionaries to rediscover, reorient and reinvent NSS programme through reducing the physical strain and increase the intellectual activities.

Dr. B. Chandrashekara, Co-ordinator, NSS-ETI, welcomed. A.N.Pujar, Regional Director, NSS Regional Centre, Bengaluru and Prof.G. B. Shivaraju, President, Gandhi Smaraka Nidhi, Bengaluru, were present.

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Dr. D. Veerendra Heggade, Chairman, Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Institute of Management Development, Mysuru and Institute Director Dr. N.R. Parasuraman receiving the coveted ACBSP Accreditation Certificate from Dr. Steve Parscale, Chief Accreditation Officer and Dr. Ray Eldridge, Chairman of Board of.Commissioners, ACBSP, at Anaheim, LA, USA on June 26, 2017
Sri. D. Surendra Kumar, Vice-President, SDMIMD along with Dr. N.R. Parasuraman, Director, SDMIMD, receiving EFMD-EPAS Award from Mr. Eric Cornuel - Director General & CEO, EFMD at Berlin, Germany on June 8, 2017. The accreditation is for the 2-year full time PGDM Program of SDMIMD.
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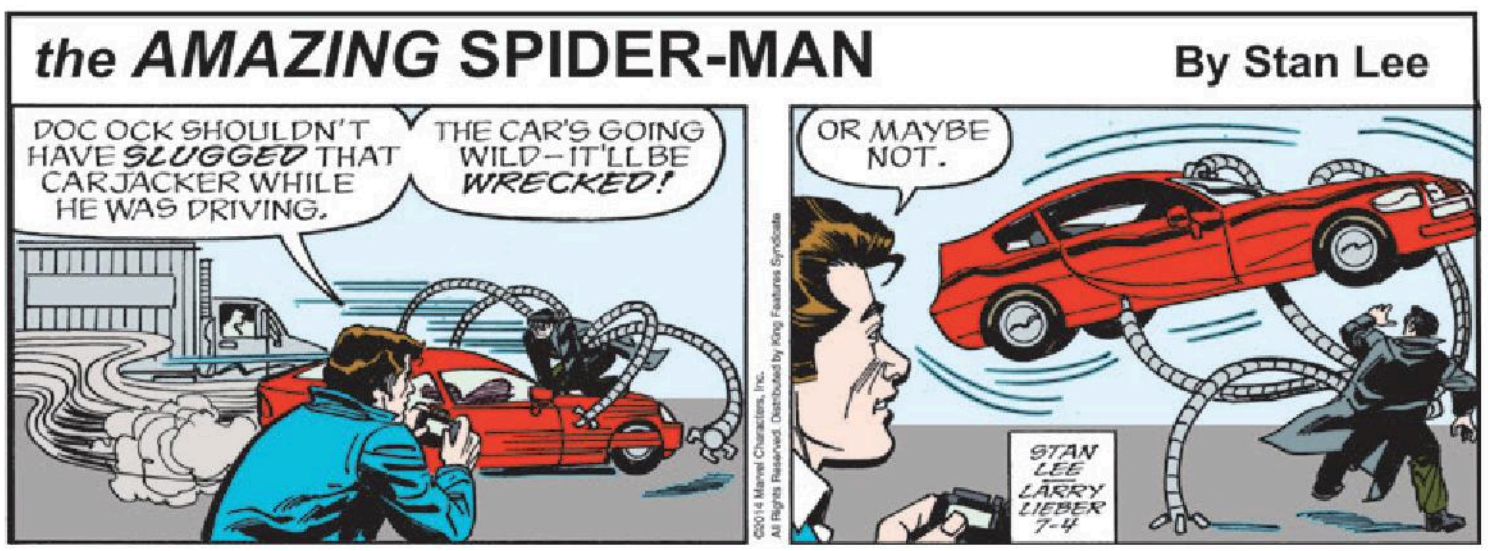
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## NEWS BRIEFS

### D. Banumaiah birth anniversary

Marking the birth anniversary of Dharmaprakasha D. Banumaiah, K.R. MLA M.K. Somashekar will garland the bust of D. Banumaiah in D. Banumaiah Educational Institutions premises on Sayyaji Rao Road at 11 am tomorrow (July 5). Corporators H.N. Srikantaiah, B.V. Manjunath and P. Prashanth Gowda will be present. Also, fruits will be distributed to in-patients of Government Ayurveda Hospital. For details, contact Mob: 98451-10995 or 90603-58255.

### Sangam Yatra

Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation (IRCTC) has organised 'Sangam Yatra' for 12 days covering Varanasi, Gaya, Allahabad, Haridwar, Delhi and Mathura from Aug. 18. For details, contact Tourist Information and Facilitation Centre, near Railway Station or call Ph: 0821-2426001 or Mob: 97414-21486.

### Cancer Clinic

Preethi Cancer Centre has organised a free Cancer Detection Clinic at No. 873, Vani Vilas Road, Lakshmipuram, on July 6 between 10 am and 8 pm. [Ph: 0821-4259259]

### Sri Guru Purnima at R.K. Ashrama

As part of Sri Guru Purnima, the following programmes will be held at Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama, Yadavagiri, on July 9: 5.15 am - Narayanasuktam, Acharyopadesha, 5.20 am - Guru Stotram (Jyoti, 89), 5.30 am - Mangalarati & Bhajans, 7.30 am - Puja, 8.30 am - Sri Vishnu Sahasranama Parayana, 9 am - Bhajans, 10.15 am - Reading, 10.30 am - Discourse on 'Sri Guru Purnima,' 11.15 am - Sri Ramakrishna Ashtottara, 11.45 am - Arati, 12 noon - Prasadam Distribution, 4 pm - Bhajans by Sri Sharada Samvit Bhajana Mandali and 7 pm - Arati and Special Bhajans. [Ph: 0821-2417444]

### State-level Notaries Meet

Raichur will host the 11th State-level Meet of Notaries on July 9 (Sunday). Karnataka Lokayukta Justice P. Vishwanath Shetty will inaugurate the Meet at the Agriculture University premises on Lingasugur Road, Raichur, at 10.30 am. Karnataka State Notaries Association President S. Suresh Babu of Mysuru will preside. The registrations will begin at 8.30 am. For details, call Mob: 94483-75453.

### Trekking by YHAI

Youth Hostels Association of India (YHAI), Gangothri Unit, is conducting a one-day trip-cum-trekking to Mallalli Water Falls near Somwarpet on July 9. Interested participants may contact Mob: 9880244649 or 9449047132.

# Domestic LPG gets costlier

## but commercial LPG is cheaper

New Delhi, July 4- Your household expenses on LPG cylinder has now gone up by Rs. 32 from July 1 depending on the State you reside in. There are twin reasons for this: One is the introduction of GST and the other is a reduction in subsidy.

Domestic LPG is under the 5% tax bracket under the GST regime. Compared with this, earlier the cooking gas was not taxed in some of the States and others applied 2-4 percent VAT. So in States where it was not taxed, LPG cylinder charges will go up by Rs. 12-15 and in other States, the increase will depend on the difference with the earlier tax rate.

Along with this, there is a reduction in the subsidy paid on LPG, which effectively pushes up the cost for the consumer further. Overall, the increase in LPG costs for households can go up to Rs. 32.

This is against the Finance Ministry's earlier claim that LPG prices will decline after introduction of GST. The Ministry's claim is true only for the commercial consumers like that of auto LPG. This is because all grades of LPG come under the same tax bracket under the GST regime.

Earlier, the tax incidence on auto LPG was higher at 12-15 percent. The GST regime has brought it down to 5 percent, thus giving a push to green fuel. Household customers will continue to feel the pinch unless the international prices declines further, which is directly linked to subsidy.

### Mysuru LPG prices

In Mysuru, a domestic LPG cylinder will now cost you Rs. 570.50 under GST regime instead of the earlier Rs. 560. A commercial cylinder will cost Rs. 1,047 instead of earlier Rs. 1,113. According to gas dealers in city, the prices will vary month-on-month and will depend on the international crude oil prices.

# Chaotic traffic on Sayyaji Rao Road, thanks to unruly motorists

Mysuru, July 4 (SBD&BCT)- It is a free-for-all at Sayyaji Rao Road where motorists, stray cows and pedestrians jostle for space. While stray cows squat on the middle of the road and roam wherever they wish, two-wheelers violate traffic by entering barricades (wherever space is available). Due to this disorderly situation, motorists who go by the rule and pedestrians are severely inconvenienced.

The barricades erected from K.R. Circle till the Ayurveda Circle cannot hold the busy traffic as motorists including two-wheeler riders and autorickshaw drivers entering wherever they find a small gap.

The menace is high near the Cauvery Emporium, Lidkar Showroom, near the underpass, down below Mohan Bhandar, the entrance to Devaraja Market and near the road that turns towards Old Bank Road.

The problem is compounded as they are temporary barricades and anybody can either shift the barricade or make space for his/ her vehicle to pass through. As per the rules, those heading from K.R. Circle to Dhanvanthri Road and motorists from Ayurveda College Circle to K.R. Circle take this road.

However, they have found an easy way to avoid going near the designated place (K.R. Circle and Ayurveda College Circle) where they are supposed to take a turn. Instead, they have opted for an easy way to go to the other side by removing the barricades or by entering wherever there is a gap.

Due to the haphazard movement of traffic, relatives of patients who come to K.R. Hospital have a tough time to cross the road to buy medicines, fruits and food.

Earlier, the system on this road was to erect permanent barricades and remove them during Dasara for the annual *Jamboo Savari* where caparisoned elephants travel from Mysore Palace to Bannimantap. Now the authorities have just set up temporary barricades that are proving a boon for motorists violating traffic rules.

# Engineering student

## succumbs to fever in city

Mysuru, July 4 (SBD&KS)- An engineering student, who was admitted to a private hospital here following fever, succumbed at the hospital yesterday, after failing to respond to the treatment.

*Hemanth*

The deceased student has been identified as N.M. Hemanth Kumar (23), son of M. Mahadevu, an employee at the Animal Husbandry Joint Director's office in city and a resident of Nazarbad here.

The deceased was a student of Ummatur Ekalvya Engineering College who had written his final year BE exams.

Hemanth was admitted to a private hospital in city on June 30 following high fever.

On Sunday, the White Blood Corpuscles (WBC) count, which was 1.65 lakhs drastically decreased to 65,000 and while the staff was in the process of procuring WBC, the Blood Pressure dropped resulting in Hemanth's death, said his father.

# Eighty traffic violation cases against engineering student!

### Cops seize vehicle, release it after collecting fine

Mysuru, July 4 (RK&KS)- Despite the city Traffic Police creating enough awareness on traffic rules and the ill-effects of violating the same, many motorists do not bother to follow the rules such as wearing helmet, fastening seat belts, not to triple ride, not to overspeed etc. which sometimes have resulted in loss of lives.

N.R. Traffic Inspector C. Kiran Kumar, following information from the Traffic Management Centre, that a Honda Activa scooter (KA-09 HG-4864) had 80 traffic violation cases against it, came to know that the scooter belonged to one Abhilash of Sunnadakeri through the RC, got the vehicle seized. He is an engineering student, who had 80 traffic violation cases against him but had failed to pay the fines. It was only then Abhilash paid the fine of Rs. 8,000 following which, the Cops released the seized scooter yesterday.

# Due to retire in a month,
## DDPU trapped while accepting bribe

*Jayaprakash*

### ACB catches DDPU Jayaprakash red-handed accepting Rs. 25,000 for college licence renewal

Mysuru, July 4 (RK&BCT)- The Deputy Director of Pre-University (DDPU) Board, Mysuru, the highest officer of the district for PU Education, was caught red-handed yesterday by Anti Corruption Bureau (ACB) sleuths while taking bribe from a private college to renew licence.

The officer, Jayaprakash, was supposed to retire this month-end and he had demanded Rupees two-and-a-half-lakh as bribe and was accepting the first instalment of Rs. 25,000 from the college authorities. Along with Jayaprakash, his official driver too was trapped.

The bribe was being accepted by Jayaprakash from the Administrative Officer of Vijayachetana PU College at around 1 pm. The college authorities had applied for renewal of licence for the composite college for the year 2017-18 and had applied in the prescribed format. They had sent the application along with details to DDPU for his approval.

Accordingly, sometime back, the DDPU had visited the college and had examined the basic facilities offered by the institution to its students. Jayaprakash had to send the report to the State Government about the college, its infrastructure and facilities and his recommendation for the Government to approve the renewal.

According to the college authorities, soon after their application and after his visit, Jayaprakash started demanding bribe for licence renewal. He had demanded a whopping Rs. 2.50 lakh and was constantly calling the college management for the money.

Fed up by his frequent demands of money, the Administrative Officer of the college had filed a written complaint with the ACB on Saturday (July 1) and the ACB sleuths had prepared to investigate and lay a trap to nab the DDPU.

The DDPU again called up the college authorities yesterday morning and told them that he would come to the college at 11 am and had asked them to keep the cash ready. He later asked the Administrative Officer to come with the money to a junction near the college. Jayaprakash had come to the junction in his car with his official driver Prakash.

The ACB was alerted by the Administrative Officer before leaving the college to the junction where Jayaprakash had asked him to come with the cash. At the junction, the DDPU was handed over Rs. 25,000 and he asked the Administrative Officer to make arrangements to pay the remaining Rs. 2.25 lakh as soon as possible. As the bribe money was being handed over to Jayaprakash, ACB sleuths surrounded the car and trapped the DDPU. Jayaprakash was to retire this month end.

The trap was laid with the direction of ACB Superintendent of Police Kala Krishnaswamy and Dy.SP Gajendra Prasad. ACB Inspectors Vinay Sureshkumar and team participated in the operation. Jayaprakash was later produced before a Court.

Jayaprakash had assumed office in Mysuru in November last year. After the retirement of K.M. Puttu as DDPU, Dr. Regina P. Malaki was the incharge who had later handed over the charge to Jayaprakash. Before being posted to Mysuru as DDPU, he was DDPU in Chamarajanagar district.

## Job Mela on July 15

Mysuru, July 4 (US)- District Employment Exchange Office has organised a Job Mela on July 15 at 10 am at its premises in Government Industrial Training Institute, N.R. Mohalla, Mysuru-07. Candidates, who have passed SSLC, PUC, JOC, ITI, Diploma and degree courses, can attend the Mela. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2489972.

## Workshop for minorities

Mysuru, July 4 (US)- Minorities Welfare Department is conducting an awareness workshop tomorrow at 2.30 pm at Kalamandira here on various facilities and scholarships being offered by the Dept. to Minority Communities. Principals of colleges, students and NGOs can attend the workshop. [Ph: 2422088]

## Financial assistance
### for Physically challenged

Mysuru, July 4 (US)- Department for the Empowerment of Physically Challenged and Senior Citizens has invited applications from physically-challenged people to receive financial assistance to set up small shops.

The prescribed application form can be obtained from the District Officer for Welfare of Physically Challenged, Pulakeshi Road, Tilak Nagar, Mysuru-570021 and submit before July 18. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2490111.

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# Business leaders, SBI turn sceptical about our economy; farmers react with suicides — which is a bad sign

## Point of VIEW

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**The way the farmers' agitation has spread across the country points to a very serious crisis that cannot be met by financially dangerous shortcuts such as loan waiver. Arguments stop and propaganda fails when people, their livelihood lost, start killing themselves...**

Those of us who spend the midnight hour sleeping missed the celebratory introduction of GST. After all, it was not the same as the hour "when the world sleeps, India awakes to life and freedom... when an age ends, and when the soul of a nation, long suppressed, finds utterance." Every soul, illiterate or educated, felt the thrill of that utterance 70 years ago. A big majority of those who are going to pay the "consolidated" tax called GST, don't understand it at all. That's the way of the *sarkar* whichever party is in power.

Try paying property tax in any city, try paying income tax without the help of at least one Chartered Accountant, and you'll know how the *sarkar* likes you to run in circles.

Such is the confusion that we can't even be sure if the economy is going forward or standing still. It is galloping forward if we listen to the Finance Minister and his government/party colleagues. But business leaders are giving warning signals while the Government's own State Bank of India (SBI) has openly criticised demonetisation. And it is no longer a secret that a cold war has developed between the Finance Ministry and the Reserve Bank.

Dr. Manmohan Singh — now seen as a Congressman rather than an economist — was ignored when he said that demonetisation triggered an economic slowdown. But no one can ignore A.M. Naik, Executive Chairman of L&T, when he says that there is hesitancy in private investment and if the Government does not spend, "there will be no growth in the economy."

What is becoming clear is that, now that people have had time to see the impact of notebandi, informed criticism of that trademark policy of the Government is turning strident. Experts grant that when the economy is operating normally and people are gradually made familiar with the concept of cashless transactions, discontinuation of high-value currency can have a favourable effect. But that was not what happened in our case. The suddenness of the drastic policy shift created chaos across the country. Cash became unavailable. Small traders stared at starvation. Agriculture mandis saw prices crumbling with disastrous consequences.

Last month, the SBI cautioned that demonetisation could continue to slow down the economy. It told institutional investors that the long-term impact of the note ban on India's economy and the banking sector would be "uncertain." So what was the currency coup all about? It certainly did not end black money. Within days of the new currency's entry, large sums of it went underground creating new black money. Headlines turned sensational when a BJP activist was caught recently with machinery that printed fake currency notes. SBI's words of caution strengthened the view that demonetisation was not an economic move, but a political one.

When demonetisation was announced, there were conflicting reports on whether the RBI Governor was in the loop or not. Raghuram Rajan's departure from Governorship was linked to his purported disagreement over the idea. Earlier this month present Governor Urjit Patel said that members of the Monetary Policy Committee had refused to meet Finance Ministry officials for a policy review meeting. Chief Economic Advisor Arvind Subramanian presented the Government's view when he said that "the RBI's inflation forecast errors have been large and systematically one-sided."

The advantage of highfalutin cerebralism among economists is that black can be presented as white and vice versa. The World Bank's India Development Report released in May appeared under two opposing headlines in the print media. One said: "India to grow at 7.2 percent in FY 18," and "7.7 percent forecast for 2019-20 on the back of strong fundamentals." The other said: "World Bank cuts India's growth estimates."

Both were correct of course. Only that the second one pointed out that the World Bank's original growth estimate was 7.6 percent, but the performance had fallen short. The first one mentioned nothing about the fall and added the rosy forecast for the next year.

Publicity tricks can go so far but no further. Farmers are in deep crisis and they are responding with suicides in the thousands and mass protests that alternate between the violent and the pathetic (near-naked protestors wearing the skulls of their departed friends). The way the farmers' agitation has spread across the country points to a very serious crisis that cannot be met by financially dangerous shortcuts such as loan waiver. Arguments stop and propaganda fails when people, their livelihood lost, start killing themselves. That's how tempests gather.

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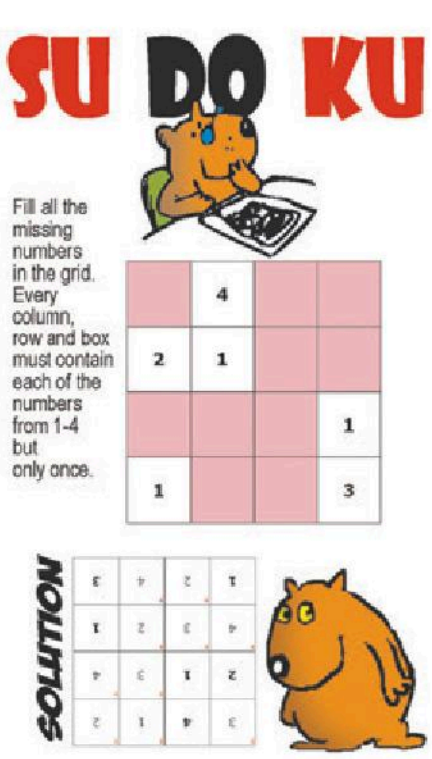
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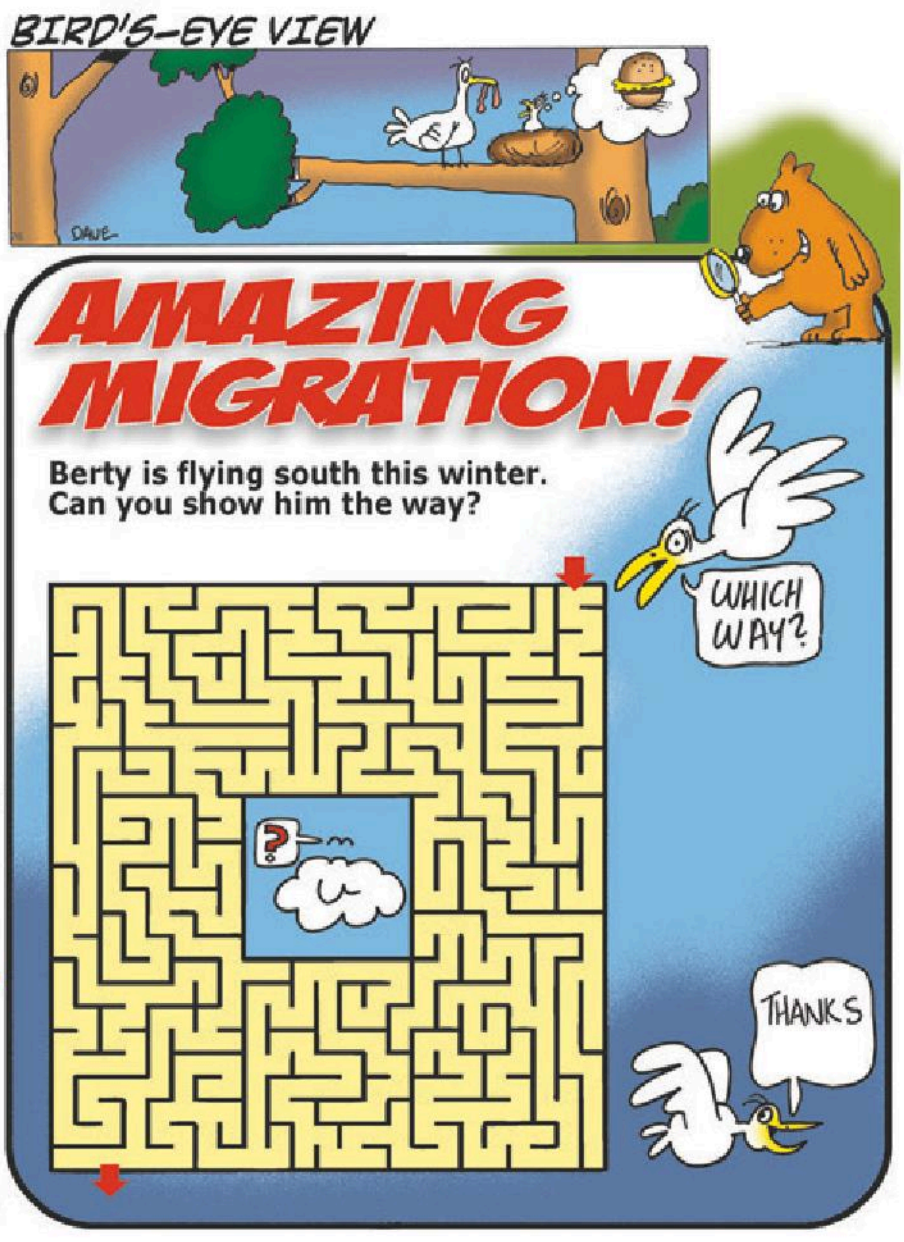


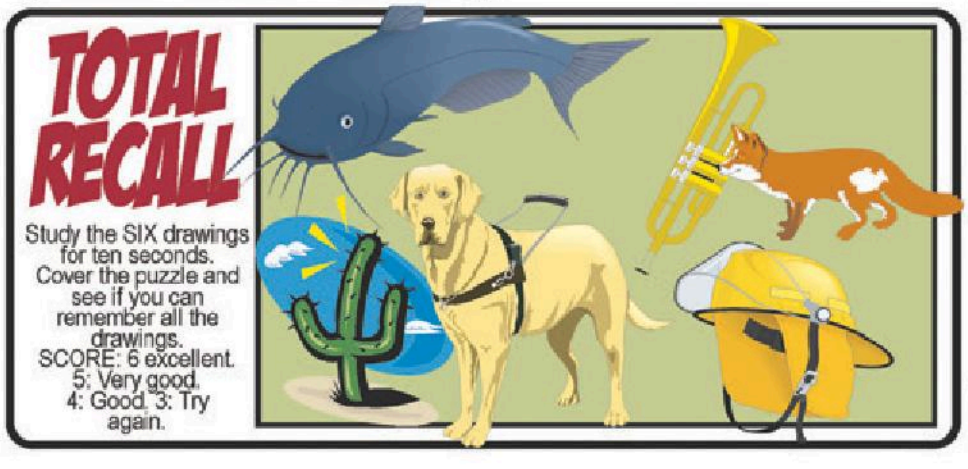
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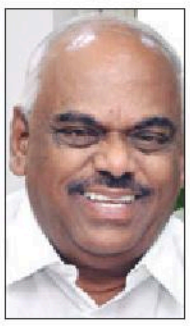
## Universal Health Card soon...

# Free health service to every family in the State: Minister

- Scheme implementation in three days
- Does not discriminate between rich and poor
- Health card can be used in private hospitals too

Bengaluru, July 4 (KMS& NNN)- Posing a challenge to the burgeoning private hospitals in the State, after tabling the Bill — The Karnataka Private Medical Establishments (Amendment) Bill, the State Government is planning to come out with a Health Card within three days, for all the families in the State, irrespective of their financial status.



*Ramesh Kumar*

The only criteria for total health care benefits, whether one is rich or poor, are to possess an Aadhaar card. In the Government hospitals, one can get free treatment. In case if the treatment is not available, then the same health card can be used in the private hospital for treatment. The health card entitles one to get treated for any kind of health problem, said Health and Family Welfare Minister K.R. Ramesh Kumar and this scheme will come into force in another three days, he added.

Earlier, under various health schemes including Yeshasvini, people were getting free treatment. However, in the future, all these schemes will be subsumed under one scheme. This scheme does not discriminate people on caste or religious lines, nor will it take into account whether one is rich or poor. Everyone can get the Health Protection Card. The State Government is going to spend Rs. 1,000 crore to Rs. 1,300 crore on this scheme, said Ramesh Kumar.

Further, he said that without looking at the 1.30 crore families' income limit, free health care would be provided.

Right from the Primary Health Centres (PHCs) to the District Hospitals, necessary medicines and equipment will be provided within a few days. In each district hospital, MRI and CT scans will be installed. In 146 taluk hospitals, dialysis machines will be set up and ICU centres will be started. If one visits a private hospital for MRI CT scan, anywhere between Rs. 6,000 to Rs. 8,000 will be charged. Similarly, for dialysis, one has to pay Rs. 1,200 to Rs. 1,300. Hence, in the future every citizen in the State can avail of free health benefits. In case if one does not get treatment in Government hospital then he can go to a private hospital, he said.

If people start using the facilities in the Government hospitals, then it will definitely hit the running of the private hospitals. However, for us to protect the health of the people is more important. We are doing just that. Hence, the private hospital administration spread canards about the Government hospitals. In spite of all these, the Government is firm on providing health benefits to all, he said.

# Govt. to recruit specialist doctors through online bidding

Bengaluru, July 4- Facing with shortage of specialist doctors, the State Government has decided to recruit specialist doctors in hospitals through online bidding

Announcing this while speaking to press persons here yesterday, Health and Family Welfare Minister K.R. Ramesh Kumar said that there was severe shortage of specialists in Government Hospitals at the district and taluk centres.

Pointing out that about 1,000 posts of specialist doctors are vacant in various health centres across the State, the Minister said that specialist doctors were reluctant to join Government service despite the Government offering salaries up to Rs. 1.25 lakh per month and as a last resort, it has been decided to recruit specialists in various districts through online bidding.

Under the system, the doctors can specify their desired salary and their preferred place of work through an online process, he said. Retreating that the State Government will adopt the Kerala model for rehabilitating Endosulfan victims in the State, Ramesh said that a committee headed by Chief Minister Siddharamaiah will be constituted soon to work out the modalities.

Ramesh further said that the Joint House Committee headed by MLA K.N. Rajanna, constituted to scrutinise the Karnataka Private Medical Establishments (Amendment) Bill, 2017, will hold its first meeting on July 6.

# 'Delhi, Mysuru home for dengue'

Bengaluru, July 4 (KMS& NNN)- The national capital Delhi and the culture city Mysuru have become home to dengue, remarked Health Family Welfare Minister Ramesh Kumar.

Coming down hard on the local officials, he said that it is due to their inefficiency that the dengue fever is spreading. As soon as the rainy season started, there was an increase in the cases of dengue in Bengaluru, Mysuru and Vijayapura and especially in Mysuru, the incidence of dengue is on the rise day by day. However, efforts are on to control the spread of dengue, he said addressing a press conference, here yesterday.

Due to lack of sufficient rain in spite of the commencement of monsoon, the mosquito menace has increased and including dengue there is a spread of other viral diseases. If the local units take advance care and give importance to the control of the disease, then it can be prevented. Our aim and even that of the Municipalities and the corporation is its prevention. Including providing platelets to the patients other facilities will be provided to them, he said.

In a lighter vein, Ramesh Kumar, taking a dig at the Department, said, "The reason for the failure in prevention of spreading of dengue is because we have some bed bugs in our own Department."

# ELISA test at Viral Research and Diagnostic Lab in K.R. Hospital

Mysuru, July 4 (RKB&KS)- The yet to be inaugurated Viral Research and Diagnostic Laboratory in K.R. Hospital premises is proving to be a boon to the patients as well as the doctors as they can now get the test reports quickly and the doctors can now provide proper treatment at the right time.

The lab is located in Sri Jayadeva Murugharajendra Pathology Laboratories building.

This is one of the labs being set up as part of the scheme across the country for effective disaster management by the Department of Health Research, Government of India and Indian Council of Medical Research.

Sources said that the lab is conducting ELISA Tests on blood samples referred by the doctors at K.R. Hospital and added that about 30 tests are being conducted at the lab daily.

Sources also said that the laboratory is helping in identifying new and unknown viruses and the patients can now get correct and faster diagnosis for various viral fever cases and with early detection, the spread of virus can be controlled besides patients could be given proper treatment without wasting much time.

# Smooth Coated Otters from Gujarat find new home at Mysuru Zoo

Mysuru, July 4 (KS)- A pair of Smooth Coated Otters from Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukherjee Surat Municipal Zoo, Muglisara, Surat in Gujarat have found a new home at Mysuru Zoo. A male and a female Otter was procured from the Surat Municipal Zoo under Animal Exchange Programme approved by the Central Zoo Authority, New Delhi, in exchange for a male and a female Striped Hyena and a male and a female Black Swan from the Mysuru Zoo.

The Otter pair arrived at Mysuru Zoo on July 2, according to a press release from the Executive Director, Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens, Mysuru.

Smooth-coated otter (Lutrogale perspicillata) is a species of otter, the only extant representative of the genus Lutrogale. The species is found in most of the Indian Subcontinent and eastwards to Southeast Asia. As its name indicates, the fur of this species is smoother and shorter than that of other otters. They may be distinguished from other species of otters by a more rounded head and a hairless nose in the shape of a distorted diamond. The tail is flattened in contrast to the more rounded tails of other species. The legs are short and strong, with large webbed feet bearing strong claws. They have unusually short and sleek fur; this is dark to reddish brown along the back, while the underside is light brown to almost grey in colour.

Smooth-coated otters are found in areas where fresh water is plentiful — wetlands and seasonal swamps, rivers, lakes, and rice paddies. They may be found in almost any suitable habitat, but are sympatric with other species. They avoid smaller streams and canals in favour of larger bodies of water. They have adapted to life in an aqueous habitat, but are nonetheless comfortable on land, and may travel long distances overland in search of suitable habitats.

# Highly-qualified youth dish out recipes for cook jobs at BCM Hostels

*Candidates appearing for the practical test for selection of cooks and assistant cooks to the Social Welfare and BCM Hostels, at Nanjaraja Bahadur Choultry in city yesterday. Picture right shows judges tasting the food prepared by one of the aspirants.*

Mysuru, July 4 (RK&NNN)- Nala, a character in the Hindu mythology, is considered the original chef. However, these days the eyeball grabbing reality show is the MasterChef India (the country's biggest cooking competition show), where there is intense competition to participate in the audition and only the best will be selected for the show.

However, because of the dearth in jobs, the reality for the youth who are looking for them to make a livelihood is completely different. Even though the minimum qualification for the job of a cook in the hostel is SSLC, sadly more than half the applicants for even such posts are either graduates or post-graduates and some even with BE or MBA degrees.

This was the scene at the three-day practical tests for selection of cooks and assistant cooks to the Social Welfare and BCM (Backward Classes and Minorities) hostels, at the Nanjaraja Bahadur Choultry here, which began yesterday.

In all, there are 58 cooks posts vacant in the BCM hostels, and 92 assistant cook posts in the same Department. In the Social Welfare Department Hostels, there are just 32 assistant cook posts vacant. Nearly 6,500 people had applied. In the first stage under the 1:5 ratio, many applications were rejected. In the second round under the 1:3 ratio, the practical tests are being conducted for 450 aspirants.

The tests began yesterday for the post of BCM cooks where two or three engineering graduates also cooked. Today the practical tests are being held for BCM assistant cooks and tomorrow it will be for assistant cooks in the Social Welfare Department hostels. The gas stove, vessels, water and necessary ingredients are all provided. The candidate has to come and pick up a token in which the name of the dish to be cooked will be written. The recipes could be chapatti, kesari bath, vegetable palya or other simple dishes normally served in the hostels.

The candidate moves to the table that has all the materials and under the watchful eye of 21 judges that include seven expert chefs from private hotels, seven cooks from Akshara Dasoha and seven Principals from Morarji Desai Residential Schools, starts preparing the dish. It has to be prepared in half-an-hour. The judges will award marks and the results declared at a later stage.

***Mechanical Engineer Shivanand Kalabanura cooks a puffed-rice dish during the practical exam for the post of cooks in BCM Hostels in Bagalkot on Monday.***

The whole process of selection is very transparent as CCTV cameras have been installed and the whole test is being videographed. Apart from the overqualified aspirants, there were also physically-challenged and even a visually-impaired seen appearing for the test. The visually-impaired is given assistance to take part in the practical test. While the salary for a cook is Rs. 16,000, the salary for an assistant cook is Rs. 15,000.

Meanwhile, it was a sad spectacle to see the photograph (in a State newspaper) of a Mechanical engineer appearing for the test in Bagalkot, squatting on the floor to prepare the dish. Unlike, the unsavoury conditions there the officials in Mysuru had made proper arrangements in the huge Nanjaraj Bahadur Choultry for the applicants to test their culinary skills.

Food and Civil Supplies Deputy Director Dr. K. Rameshwarappa and BCM District Officer G.S. Somashekar were also present.

## Can't ban everyone from depositing old notes: SC

New Delhi, July 4- People with legitimate reasons for not being able to deposit old 500 and 1,000 rupee notes — like those in prison — cannot be denied the right to swap the outlawed currency for new notes, the Supreme Court said today, asking the Government to explain how it will help these citizens by the 17th of this month.

In Nov. 2016, PM Modi announced that high-denomination notes would be illegal for transactions and the people were given time till Dec. 31, 2016 to turn in their old notes at Post Offices and Banks.

The Chief Justice of India, J.S. Khehar, said during today's hearing, "If these genuine people are not given a chance, then it is a serious issue." The RBI has said it can no longer accept the banned notes from individuals because of the Centre's decision.

Today's case was filed by a group of citizens who could not meet the Dec. 31, 2016 deadline including a woman who said she had just delivered a baby and another who was dealing with a death in her family.

## Do not turn away eligible beneficiaries of MUDRA scheme, MP warns Banks

### Quarterly progress review meeting of Lead Bank held

Mysuru, July 4 (RKB&DM)- Complaints on the implementation of Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana (PMMY) came to the fore at the Quarterly Progress Review Meeting of Lead Bank (SBI) at the ZP Hall here this morning.

Addressing the meeting, Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha said, the PMMY under the Micro Unit Development and Refinance Agency (MUDRA) was one of the key initiatives of the Prime Minister for job creation.

Pointing out that he had received a number of complaints on the implementation of this ambitions scheme, the MP asked the Bank Managers not to turn away eligible entrepreneurs who claim loan under the three categories of PMMY — Shishu, Kishore and Tarun.

Noting that the Pradhan Mantri Skill Development Training Centre at Yelwal is training 940 youths on skill development, Simha said that the Banks should cater to the funding needs of the beneficiaries.

Warning of actions against such bank officials, who turn away eligible beneficiaries, the MP underlined the role of banks in the economic progress of the country.

Referring to agricultural loans, Simha said that the Bank officials should take measures for ensuing the success of the Union Government's initiatives such as Start Up India, crop loan, Fasal Bima Yojana etc.

Expressing disappointment over the implementation of Fasal Bima Yojana in the district, he asked the Bank staff to sensitise the farmers on this farmer-friendly scheme and to put up large posters outside the Banks which are implementing the scheme. He called for carrying out wide spread campaign on making the Fasal Bima Yojana, a grand success.

The MP also released Mysuru District Credit Plan for the year 2017-18, which saw an increase of the total plan expenditure of 16 percent over the previous year.

ZP CEO P. Shivashankar, NABARD AGM Dr. N. Aravamudhan and others were present.

# War of words exchanged between pro, anti-CFTRI Director groups

*Kannada Development Authority Chairman Prof. S.G. Siddaramaiah (extreme right) seen making a point to CFTRI Director Prof. Ram Rajasekharan (extreme left) during the former's visit to CFTRI this morning.*

Mysuru, July 4 (PM&NNN)- Kannada Development Authority (KDA) Chairman Prof S.G. Siddaramaiah visited the CFTRI here this morning on the directions of Chief Minister Siddharamaiah, following a memorandum from a few pro-Kannada organisations and present a report regarding the alleged anti-Kannada stand of CFTRI Director Prof. Ram Rajasekharan.

The meeting began in a tense atmosphere, with war of words between the pro-Kannada outfits and those in support of CFTRI Director. The members of the pro-Kannada outfits were vocal in claiming that there was a completely anti-Kannada atmosphere in the campus. To prove their point they said that three members of the Kannada Sahrudaya Balaga had been suspended some time ago and in spite of repeated requests to the Director, he had not taken any action to revoke the suspension.

They charged that in such a surcharged atmosphere the Kannadigas feel alienated in their own land, all because of the anti-Kannada stand taken by the Director.

Reacting to the charges made by the members of the pro-Kannada outfits, the KDA Chairman Prof. Siddaramaiah said that he had come prepared with all facts and figures and found justification in the allegations made by the outfits.

However, Prof. Rajasekharan said that there was no truth in such allegations as CFTRI is a national centre where people from different parts of the country are working in a harmonious atmosphere.

Former KDA Chairman Prof. Chandrashekar Patil (Champa) said that the feelings of the Kannadigas should be respected and all steps must be taken to improve the vitiated atmosphere in an institution of national repute.

Meanwhile, CFTRI SC/ST Employees Welfare Association members told Prof. Siddaramaiah that the charges levelled against the CFTRI Director by the pro-Kannada outfits was baseless and the attacks personal as all class of people work in this scientific institution. They charged that it was a conspiracy against the Director as he was a Dalit.

Prof. Siddaramaiah asked the Director and his team to sort out the issue amicably and present him a report at his office in Bengaluru before July 20.

Litterateurs Prof. CPK, Prof. Kalegowda Nagawara, P. Mallesh, E.C. Ramachandra, journalist Rajashekar Koti, Kannada and Culture Assistant Director H. Chennappa and others were present at the meeting.

# MCC Ward 32 by-poll: Counting to commence at 8 am tomorrow

Mysuru, July 4 (RK&DM) - The counting of votes for the MCC Ward 32 by-election held on Sunday will be taken up tomorrow (July 5) at 8 am at Maharaja Sanskrit Pathashala on Sayyaji Rao Road where the EVMs have been secured in the strong room.

The results are expected to be announced by 10 am. In all, there are five candidates in the fray — K. Madesh - BJP, SBM Manju - JD(S), B.K. Prakash - Congress, Mangalamma - Bharatiya Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Janata Party and Mahabalaraj - Independent.

However, the contest has turned out into a 3-cornered fight between the three main political parties — BJP, Congress and JD(S).

The low turnout in the Sunday polls has caused anxiety among the candidates, who were expecting a bigger turnout.

JD(S) candidate SBM Manju claimed that the voters have blessed him to continue the good work done by the previous Corporator.

Congress candidate Prakash said that he had a large number of friends in the ward, who assured him of support in the polls.

BJP's Madesh too expressed confidence of a victory.

### Training for counting personnel held

The counting personnel underwent a training session at the Old Council Hall of MCC this morning. Authorities have made necessary arrangements for the smooth conduct of counting tomorrow at the Sanskrit Pathashala on Sayyaji Rao Road.

## Booth-wise break-up

| Sl. No. | Booth No. | Total Votes | Votes Polled | Percentage |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 01 | 330 | 1,217 | 583 | 47.90 |
| 02 | 331 | 777 | 299 | 38.48 |
| 03 | 332 | 704 | 280 | 39.77 |
| 04 | 332a | 924 | 415 | 44.91 |
| 05 | 333 | 308 | 79 | 25.65 |
| 06 | 334 | 1,112 | 450 | 40.47 |
| 07 | 335 | 1,003 | 523 | 52.14 |
| 08 | 336 | 652 | 262 | 40.18 |
| 09 | 337 | 852 | 487 | 57.16 |
| 10 | 338 | 816 | 456 | 55.88 |
| 11 | 339 | 1,002 | 512 | 51.10 |
| 12 | 340 | 891 | 577 | 64.76 |
| | TOTAL | 10,258 | 4,923 | 47.99 |

# It will be a Dasara to remember this year

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Steps will be taken to release the pending Rs. 6 crore out of the Rs. 14 crore that was earmarked for last year's Dasara. The Minister told the district administration to send a proposal so that the money can be released.

"Separate seating and viewing arrangements will be made for foreign nationals and the premium guests of Tourism Department and the Karnataka State Tourism Development Corporation," Dr. Mahadevappa said.

Most likely, the first *'Gajapayana'* (the journey of Dasara jumbos from the forests to Mysore Palace) will be held on August 10 and this too will be made a tourist attraction.

"Like last year, we will have Palace-on-Wheels where tourists will be taken in luxury buses on Palace tours in Mysuru. Due to a low-key Dasara, last year we could not constitute non-official committees. This year, we will have non-officials as respective Committee Chairpersons," the Minister said.

This year's Dasara budget will be decided on July 17 or 18 at the High Power Dasara Committee meeting in Bengaluru to be chaired by Chief Minister Siddharamaiah. "We will bring back the Gold Card scheme this time and sell them online," he added.

For publicity, banners, brochures and other publicity material will be sent to neighbouring States along with vigorous online and offline marketing campaigns. Publicity material and giant cut-outs will be installed at airports and efforts will be made by the respective departments to bring in more foreign tourists, he said.

### 'Kambala' now legal

New Delhi, July 4 - President Pranab Mukherjee yesterday promulgated the ordinance legalising the traditional 'Kambala' sport. He approved the promulgation of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Karnataka Amendment) Ordinance, 2017, making Kambala legal in Karnataka.

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# Gujarati Garba dance on July 6 at JSS Urban Haat

Mysuru, July 4- Here is an opportunity for Mysureans to have a glimpse of Gujarat traditional dance; the artistes who have come for *Gujarat Utsav* which is going on at JSS Urban Haat in Hebbal here since June 29 will be presenting the traditional **Gujarati dance 'Garba' on July 6 from 6.30 pm to 9 pm.**

Over 40 artistes will be performing for ten different tunes. Garba is a dance form originated in Gujarat, performed during Navaratri — a nine-day festival of Goddess Durga.

Garba dance is usually performed in a circle around a big lamp or the statue of Goddess Shakti. It is often confused with Dandiya, which is another dance form of Gujarat performed during Navaratri.

The major difference between the two dance forms is that Garba is performed in circular movements with hands and feet, while Dandiya is played with colourful sticks.

Another perspective on the symbolic form of Garba is that as the dancers move around in circles making circular movements with their hands and feet, it represents the circle of life, which moves from life to death to rebirth, leaving only the Goddess Durga unmoved, unchanging and invincible.

While the dancers perform in colourful costumes to the rhythm of a dhol or a drum, the men and women look vibrant and full of life in their attires.

Women wear Chaniya Choli, a traditional Gujarati dress with three piece outfit and men who perform wear Kediyu, a short round kurta along with Kafni pajamas along with Pagdi on their head. The modern day Garba is actually a fusion of Dandiya Raas and Garba. The dance is famous not only in India but also in the US, UK and Canada.

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The artisans who have come for Gujarat Handicraft Utsav will be imparting free training on Gujarat Handicraft which includes Bandhani (Tie & Dye), Kutchhi Embroidery, Handloom Products, Bamboo crafts, Jute Items, Coir Products, Agate Items, Navaratri special Chania Choli, Clay articles, Patch work, Bead work, Terracotta, Warli painting, making of Eco-friendly Jewellery items for both men and women (including students and children) **from July 5 to 7 daily between 11 am and 6 pm.**

Interested may register their names at the earliest. The entry is restricted and it is based on first-cum-first-serve basis.

For details, contact Mob: 96866-77232.

# 'Silk India' Expo from tomorrow at Hotel Southern Star

India is the number one producer of silk in the world for which there is a huge demand both in the national as well as international markets. Different varieties of silk are reared based on climatic and geographic conditions of which only four, namely Tassar, Eri, Mulberry and Muga, are the prominent ones. Tassar and Muga are wild varieties of silk cultivated by silk worms fed on organically grown trees. Bihar, Assam and Chattisgarh are the three States where Tassar and Muga are produced.

**On the occasion of Varamahalakshmi festival, 'Hastashilpi' has organised a five-day 'Silk India -2017' at Hotel Southern Star on Vinoba Road in city from July 5 to 9.**

"Various Silk Saree Weavers, Handloom Clusters and Silk Co-operative Societies will showcase their products in exposition. The intention of organising 'Silk India' is to make accessible the products directly to the customers, without the moderator to the weavers and artisans," said, Hastashilpi organiser T. Abhinand.

"Arini Silk Saris, Crepe & Georgette Silk Saris, Chiffon Silk Saris, Tassar silk sarees and suit, Kanjeevaram Silk Sarees & Wedding Saris, Designer fancy Saris, Darmavaram Silk Saris, Raw Silk & Tassar, Jute Silk Saris, Dhaka Silk Saris, Handloom Silk Cotton Saris, Silk Blends Saris & Stole, Silk Shawls, Uppada, Gadwal, Paithani Sarees, Mangalagiri & Pochampalli Silk Saris and much many more products from across the country will be available at this silk expo," he added.

Other than that, many silk products including Suit & Silk Bed Covers, Designer dress materials & Border, Lazes, Kurtis, Hand Woven Matka & Assam Muga Fabrics, Bhagalpur suits and Chanderi Silk Saris & Suit, will be on display at the expo.

# Three-day *Yakshotsava* in city from July 7

Mysuru, July 4 (BNR)- A three-day *Yakshotsava* has been organised at Jaganmohan Palace in city from July 7 to 9 by Innovative - Mysuru in association with the Department of Kannada and Culture.

**July 7:** Journalist B. Ganapathy of *Vishwavani* (Bengaluru) will inaugurate at 6 pm. Bellipadi Yaksha Samskruti Trust President Dr. Bellipadi Satish Rai, Kannada & Culture Asst. Director H. Chennappa and Journalist Amshi Prasannakumar of *Kannada Prabha* (Mysuru) will be the chief guests. Yakshagana scholar and Innovative President G.S. Bhatta will preside. Following the inauguration, Yakshagana *'Sougandhikaapaharana'* will be presented.

**July 8:** Parthisubba Namana and Yakshagana Talamaddale programmes will be held at **Maharaja's College Junior BA Hall at 10.30 am.** Maharaja's College Principal Prof. C.P. Sunitha will inaugurate. Social worker K. Raghuram will preside. Maharaja's College Folk Department Head Dr. H.R. Chethan and Karnataka Janapada Parishat President G. Prakash will be the chief guests.

*Kanipura Yakshagana* Monthly Chief Editor M. N. Chambaltimar will speak on *'Yakshagana Valmiki Parthisubba'* and Yakshagana scholar Dr. Kabbinale Vasantha Bharadwaj will talk on *'Parthisubbana Mahakavya.'* Talamaddale 'Pattabhisheka Bhanga' of Parthisubba will follow with Subraya Hebbar as Bhagavata, accompanied by Parameshwara Hegde and Taaresara on maddale. Arathadaris - Dr. Kabbinale Vasantha Bharadwaj, Vid. K. Krishnakumar Acharya and Vid. Sankadagundi Ganapathy Bhat.

The day's programme is organised by the Janapada Sangha of Maharaja's College Folk Department and Karnataka Janapada Parishat, Mysuru Unit.

**Chittani Award presentation:** The same day (July 8) at 6 pm at **Jaganmohan Palace,** Chittani Award will be presented to Yakshagana artiste, organiser and critic **Srinivas Sasthan** by retired VC of University of Mysore Dr. S.N. Hegde. Journalist Ravindra Bhat of *Prajavani* will deliver felicitation address. Hotelier Narayana Hegde will be the chief guest. G.S. Bhatta will preside. Yakshagana *'Maruti Pratapa'* will follow.

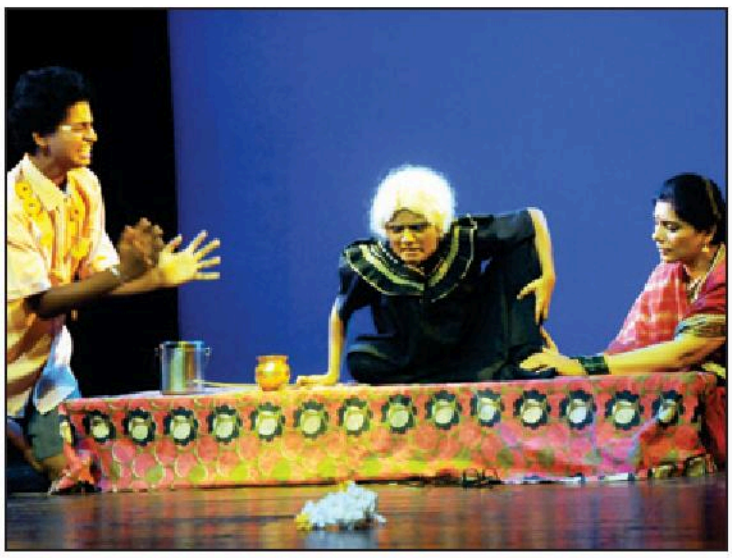
**Felicitation to G.S. Bhatta**

*G.S. Bhatta Dr. Veerappa Moily*

**July 9:** Yakshagana *'Duryodana Avasana'* will be presented at 5 pm at Jaganmohan Palace. Yakshagana exponent G.S. Bhatta will be felicitated at 6 pm. On the occasion, former CM and MP Dr. M. Veerappa Moily will release the felicitation volume *'Uttarottara'* published by Mahima Prakashana. MLA Vasu will be the chief guest. Poetess Dr. Kavita Rai will deliver the felicitation address. Industrialist and art patron from Chamarajanagar G.M. Hegde will preside. Yakshagana will continue.

Yakshagana shows to be presented by Sri Edugunji Mahaganapathy Yakshagana Mandali Keremane will be directed by Keremane Shivananda. Entry is free. For details, contact Mob: 94483-54541.

# Drushya theatre troupe stages play *'Raktavarne'*



***The artistes of Drushya theatre troupe, Bengaluru, are seen staging the play 'Raktavarne' at Bhoomigeeta in Rangayana premises on Sunday.***

# Winners of Round Table India Open Golf Tournament- 2017

Mysuru, July 4- The two-day 10th Annual Charity Golf Tournament Round Table India Open-2017, jointly organised by Jayachamaraja Wadiyar Golf Club, Mysore Race Club and Mysore Round Table-21, was held on July 1 and 2.

Around 130 golf enthusiasts from Mysuru, Bengaluru, Kodagu and others places took part in the tournament held across 8 different categories.

The funds raised through this event will be used for JWGC - Caddies fund, MRC Eye Hospital and MRT-21 education projects.

## WINNERS

**STABLEFORD GROSS**

**1.** V. Prakash (30 Points) **2.** Pranavi S. Urs (28 Points)

**STABLEFORD NET (H/C 0 TO 18)**

**1.** Ramesh Kumar Jain (41 Points) **2.** Amit Kothari (38 Points)

**STABLEFORD NET (H/C 0 TO 24), For Seniors Above 65**

Dr. M.S. Ranganath (37 Points)
(Better Back 9 Over Mari Gowda)

**BEST ROUND TABLE GOLFER, STABLEFORD NET (H/C 0 TO 24)**

M. Arjun Ranga (33 Points)

**BEST LADY GOLFER, STABLEFORD NET (H/C 0 TO 24)**

Vidhatri K. Urs (37 Points)

**LONGEST DRIVE (9TH HOLE) :** K.A. Anil Kumar (345 Yards)

**NEAREST TO PIN (2ND HOLE) :** S.A. Thimmaiah (10.5 Inches)

### District-level Basketball Tournament

# Rising Star SC wins title

*The Rising Star SC team, which won the Club Men's Basketball title in the District-level Basketball Tournament conducted by All Stars Basketball Club, Mysuru, at J.P. Nagar courts on Sunday, is seen with the trophy and the guests.*

Mysuru, July 4- Inspiring play by Naveen (10 points) enabled Rising Star SC to register a well-earned 44-21 win over Protec SC, Mysuru and clinch the men's title in the District-level Basketball Tournament conducted by All Stars Basketball Club at J.P. Nagar Basketball courts here on Sunday.

**RESULTS- ( ALL FINALS)**

**MEN**

**Rising Stars SC -** 41 (Naveen 10) bt **Protec SC -** 21 (Divya Anand 12).

**HIGH SCHOOL BOYS**

**Bharathiya Vidya Bhavan -** 25 (Deepak Gowda 7) bt **St. Joseph's (Yelwal) -** 13 (Naveen 6).

**HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS**

**Vani Vilas HS -** 41 ( Meghana 11) bt **Podar International School -** 20 (Ramya 6).

**U-16 BOYS**

**Aryans SC -** 31 (Dhavan 9) bt All Star SC 10.

**U-16 GIRLS**

**Aryans SC -** 46 (Ananya 18) bt **All Star SC -** 15 (Beena 6).

### KSCA Mysore Zone 2nd Division League

# Mallesh shines in Star CC's win

Mysuru, July 4- A five-wicket haul by C.M. Mallesh (five for 33) helped Star CC, Chamarajanagar, to register a 30-run win over Future CC in the KSCA Mysore Zone 2nd Division league tie played at the JSS-SJCE Grounds here on Sunday.

**Scores (2nd Division)**

**Star CC (Chamarajanagar):** 237 in 49.2 overs (Ashwin 46, Rajendra 35, M. Ramesh 29, Muzamil Pasha 25) bt **Future CC:** 207 in 46.1 overs ( N.sanjay 48, M.Naveen Kumar 38, V.Uttam Gowda 27, C.M. Mallesh 5 for 33, N. Naveen Kumar 3 for 36).

**Jaihind CC 'A':** 220 in 50 overs (J. Kiran 103, Yashwanth 28, Vikas Chandra Guru four for 31) lost to **PET CC (Mandya):** 221 for six in 44.1 overs (Kruthik Krishna 51, R.S. Yogesh 42, K.S. Lankesh 36).

**Karavali Cricketers:** 270 in 49.2 overs (P.T. Poovaiah 69, Parameshwar 49, B. Madan 32, K. Kuldeep three for 49) bt **Jawahar's CC:** 223 in 45.1 overs (Suraj Chandrashekar 58, M.G. Naveen 42, Sharana Basava 32, K. Kuldeep 26, Suhas four for 30, S.J. Shashank 3 for 50).

**Bellur CC:** 193 for eight in 50 overs ( Swaroop Kumar 50, M.C.Hemanth 35) lost to **The Mysore Gymkhana:** 194 for five in 46.5 overs (A.Venkateshwara 45 n.o., V.S. Yashwanth 44 n.o.).

**Professional CC:** 235 for eight in 50 overs (Nishanth Yadav 50, Madan 40, Sanjay 38, M.G. Kiran 26, Sachin Goutham three for 39) lost to **Yuvaraja's College:** 236 for five in 35.4 overs ( Niranjan 89, Sri Karthik 55 n.o., Srinidhi Urs 31).

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## TOMORROW'S MATCHES

**England Vs South Africa**
Bristol County Ground, Bristol, 3:00 PM

**Sri Lanka Vs India**
Derby County Ground, Derby, 3:00 PM

**Pakistan Vs Australia**
Leicester Grace Road, Leicester, 3:00 PM

## MYSORE SUMMER RACES 2017

(By Our Racing Correspondent)

# 'Setaglow Vs Starstyle' for Mysore Fillies Trial Stake

Mysuru, July 4- The following are the selections for the 7th Day of Mysore Summer Races to be held here tomorrow (5th July 2017):

**1. 2.00 PM THE WHITE FIELD PLATE**
1800 mts. (rated 40 to 65)
*1. Gusty Wind 2. Imitation Game*

**2. 2.30 PM THE MUDIGERE PLATE**
1200 mts. (rated 00 to 25)
*1. Deltin 2. Oro Plata*

**3. 3.00 PM THE BUGLE ROCK PLATE**
1200 mts. (rated 20 to 45)
*1. Golden Cruise 2. Golden Steps*

**4. 3.30 PM THE EVITA PLATE**
1400 mts. (rated 40 to 65)
*1. Oceanic Storm 2. Galaxy Queen*

**5. 4.00 PM THE MYSORE FILLIES TRIAL STAKES**
1400 mts. 3 years (terms)
*1. Setaglow 2.Starstyle*

**6. 4.30 PM THE ANEKAL PLATE**
1400 mts. (rated 60 and above)
*1. Naval Glory 2. Class is Class*

**7. 5.00 PM THE SHIVAJINAGAR PLATE**
1400 mts. (rated 20 to 45)
*1. I Do It For U 2. Sancy*

***DAY'S BEST:*** *DELTIN*
***DOUBLE:*** *1. NAVAL GLORY 2. I DO IT FOR U*
***JACKPOT:*** *3,4,5,6,7;* ***I TREBLE:*** *2,3,4;* ***II TREBLE :*** *5,6,7*
***EXACTAS:*** *6,7*

***—Tipster PGC***

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## Plea to clear storm water drain on D. Subbaiah Road

*The storm water drain adjacent to a garbage bin on D. Subbaiah Road is filled with garbage and water from the public tap, resulting in water getting stagnant and the place becoming a breeding place for mosquitoes. Authorities concerned are urged to get the drain cleaned at the earliest.*

## Incomplete drain works near Tipu Masjid at Bannimatap

*The drain works undertaken near Tipu Masjid at Bannimantap has come to a standstill since two weeks resulting in rainwater getting stagnant. This has resulted in increase in mosquitoes in the surroundings and people falling sick due to mosquito bites. Authorities concerned are urged to complete the drain works at the earliest for the benefit of all.*

# Swachh Bharat Abhiyan at Teachers Layout

## Saplings planting programme held

*The Mysuru City BJP Mahila Morcha had organised Swachh Bharat Abhiyan at Teachers Layout in MCC Ward No. 56 coming under Narasimharaja constituency. Saplings planting programme was also undertaken at a park which was launched by State BJP Backward Classes Secretary and Corporator B.M. Nataraj. BJP Mahila Morcha President Renuka Raj, Deputy Mayor Rathna Lakshman, constituency President Murali, Gen. Secretary Narasimhamurthy, SC Morcha President D. Mahesh Prasad, Manju, Shivanandarao, along with Pourakarmikas, participated in the programme.*

# Rs. 3 crore development works at Srirampura 2nd Stage

## MLA performs 'Guddali puja'

Mysuru, July 4 (US&PM)- MLA M.K. Somashekar performed 'Guddali Puja' for various development works worth Rs. 3 crore in Srirampura 2nd Stage here on Sunday near the arch at BEML Layout.

The project includes developing a 750 metre stretch of road from Bhramaramba Kalyana Mantap to Manandavadi Junction, formation of 1,500 meter of concrete drain on the road and 11 drain bridges across the road.

Speaking on the occasion, Somashekar said that development work was already in progress on the stretch from Vivekananda Circle to Bhramarambha Kalyana Mantap. He added that private layouts in Ward 13 and 14 too will be developed.

MUDA Chairman D. Dhruvakumar, Corporators Kempamma, Jagadish, MUDA Commissioner Dr. M. Mahesh, Devaraja Block Congress OBC President Roopesh and others were present.

# Pratibha Puraskar to Pourakarmikas' kids

Mysuru, July 4 (DVG&US)- Arunodaya Mahila Sangha had organised a function at Nellore Shed Community Hall in front of Silk Factory here on Sunday to present Pratibha Puraskar to children of Pourakarmikas who have secured good marks in SSLC and PU examinations.

Speaking on the occasion, Narayan, former Chairman, Karnataka State Safai Karmachari Commission, opined that Pourakarmikas can get relieved of wielding brooms if their children get well-educated and come up in career. He commended the scholastic excellence of Pourakarmikas children braving abject poverty and advised parents to encourage their children in education. He recalled the life of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar who studied amid all odds and went on to become a beacon for people and advised children to follow the steps of that great personality.

Journalist Rajashekar Koti, former Mayor Purushotham, MLA M.K. Somashekar, BJP leader H.V. Rajeev, RLHP Director Saraswathi, Dalit Abhivruddhi Sangha President C.P. Rangaiah and others were present.

Pratibha Puraskar was presented to Shwetha, Manasa, Hemalatha, Amrutha and Saraswathi, who had excelled in SSLC and Priya, Ashwini and Radhika for excelling in PUC. Prizes were also given to parents who had won in various games.

# Historic GST Day celebrated in city

Mysuru, July 4- Goods and Services Tax (GST) is designed to create one economic India by providing level playing field for consumers and producers across the country, said former Chief Commissioner of Central Excise and Customs, Mysuru Zone, S. Rajkumar.

Speaking as the chief guest at the historic GST Day organised by the Office of the Principal Commissioner of Central GST and Central Excise, at its premises on Vinaya Marga in Siddarthanagar here on July 1, he said that GST comes with advantages to trade and manufacturers with in-built common procedures for registration, duty payment refund and filing of returns.

*Dignitaries and officials seen during GST Day celebrations organised by GST Mysuru Commissionerate at its premises in Siddarthanagar on July 1.*

Commissioner G.V. Krishna Rao said that GST had only five rate slabs applied on a comprehensive base of supply of goods and services and hence by virtue of its design, it would be much easier to administer.

"The move towards digitalising records and transactions through massive network called GST network would change the culture and fragrance of working in the indirect tax departments. Implementation of GST is an ongoing and incremental process," said Rao. The Commissioner assured that in this major tax harmonisation exercise no queries will be left unattended to by the officers of GST Mysuru Commissionerate and appealed to all the members of trade and industry to come to the department for any issues faced by them in GST implementation.

The other speakers at the event emphasised on the fact that the single tax was set to bring down prices for most items and that it would benefit all.

CII Mysuru Chairman Arjun Ranga, AT&S, Nanjangud, Managing Director and COO Robert Grobbauer, Commissioner (Appeals) Pradeep Suman and members of trade and industry were present.

# Not only mid-day meal, this school provides free breakfast too

## Sri Sathya Sai Baba Higher Primary and High School shows the way

Mysuru, July 4- While most of the schools wash their hands off after providing the mandatory mid-day meal scheme initiated by the State government, authorities of Sri Sathya Sai Baba Higher Primary and High School, Jayalakshmipuram, have gone a step ahead in providing free breakfast for students.

The programme was launched yesterday at 8.30 am in the presence of Swami Atmajnanandaji, President of Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama, Mysuru by H.R. Basappa, DDPI.

Block Education Officer Udayakumar, Chairman of the School K.B. Prabhu Prasad, Secretary K. Sathish, Principal Thrimurthy and Treasurer Vijayalakshmi Muralidhar were present.

Speaking on the occasion, Swami Atmajnanandaji said that the school was doing a noble work of providing free breakfast for students who mostly come to school hungry. He called upon other schools to follow the example of Sri Sathya Sai Baba Higher Primary and High School.

The school was founded in 1959 by **Sunandamma Narasimha Iyengar,** who was an ardent Sai devotee and a freedom fighter. She started this school under Bhagawan Sri Sathya Sai Baba Makkala and Mahila Koota Trust to provide value-based quality education to the children of financially backward families.

Education is given in both Kannada and English mediums and there are 136 students studying in Kannada medium and 500 students in the English medium. All the students studying in Kannada medium and 80% of those studying in English medium are from below poverty level families. The government provides free mid-day meals only to the students studying in Kannada medium.

**APPEAL**

**Daily breakfast would cost Rs. 3,000 for 320 students studying in fifth to tenth standards. The school authorities have requested contributions from donors and philanthropists for the cause. Mysureans can also contribute individually or in the name of their loved ones or celebrate their birthdays and anniversaries in a meaningful way by contributing to the breakfast scheme. Philanthropists can also donate endowment fund for the scheme.**

**For details, contact Ph: 0821-2410856 or 2410859.**

# PSI recruitment: Deadline extended to July 6

Mysuru, July 4- The deadline for applying online for Police Sub-Inspector (Civil) and Police Sub-Inspector (State Intelligence) posts and for direct recruitment of in-service candidates for vacant posts, has been extended till July 6 from June 28. Also, the deadline for online payment of fees has been extended to July 7. The earlier deadline was June 29, according to a press release from the Office of the City Police Commissioner.

# Cauvery River Bank in Talakad turning into a cremation site !

## Video footage of a burning funeral pyre goes viral

T. Narasipur, July 4 (US)- Cremating bodies on the banks of Ganges River has been a common sight but surprisingly such an unwelcome practice seems to have arrived on the bank of River Cauvery in Talakad, a popular pilgrim and tourist place in the taluk.

A video footage of a burning funeral pyre on the river bank, said to be uploaded by a Freelance writer on social media, has gone viral kicking off a public debate driving authorities concerned into a tizzy.

When the Freelance writer visited Talakad recently along with her family members in the afternoon, she was shocked to see the burning funeral pyre on the river bank while tourists were relaxing in the shallow waters nearby. She videographed the incident on her cellphone and forwarded to her contacts which got uploaded on the social media.

When the writer enquired about the ugly incident with a few people at the spot she was surprised to learn that a few residents of Talakad were allowed to perform cremation on the river banks and the practice was on for a long time.

When the footage went viral, Police intervened and asked the authorities concerned to inquire into the incident and take necessary action.

Police are said to be waiting for a complaint from officials of Forest Department who were guardians of the property.

Additional SP N. Rudramuni said a reply was awaited from T. Narasipur Tahsildar to confirm whether permission was granted to anybody to cremate the body on the river bank.

Now the incident has come as a setback for the tourists who used to flock the river banks during weekends for a picnic and it has to be waited and watched for the repercussions.

# R.T. Nagar site allotment provisional list: 1,000 objections received

Mysuru, July 4 (RK&DM)- The Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA), which had announced the provisional list of R.T. Nagar site allottees, has received about 1,000 objections to the list. The MUDA, which announced the provisional list on June 20, had given 10 days time to the public to come with their objections, if any. Now, the MUDA has received about 1,000 objections, with some site aspirants complaining that they were denied sites despite their old age and seniority. MUDA is examining the objections and official list of allottees of 1,683 sites in R.T. Nagar will be announced in a fortnight, according to MUDA Chairman Dhruvakumar.

## WORD OF THE DAY

### Lucida

**Pronunciation:** Loo-si-duh
**Meaning:** The brightest star in a constellation.
**Origin:** Lucida is from the full phrase in Latin stellalūcida meaning "bright star." Lucida can be traced to the Latin verb lūcēre meaning "to shine," which itself comes from lux, a noun meaning "light." Lucida entered English in the 1700s.

## THE ODD WORD

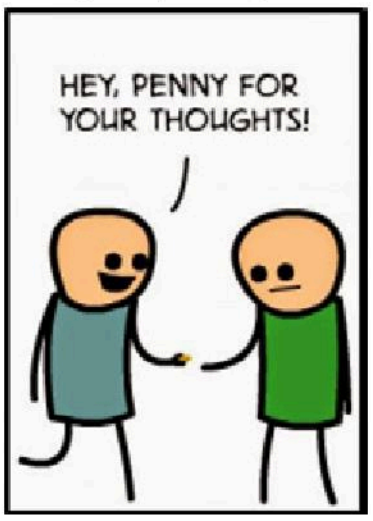
### Meacock

A coward or effeminate person.

## IDIOM OF THE DAY

### A penny for your thoughts

**Meaning:** A way of asking what someone is thinking; Used for wanting to know what another person is thinking, usually because they have not spoken for some time.




**Origin:** The saying is from a time when the British penny was worth a significant sum. In 1522, Sir Thomas More wrote (in 'Four Last Things'): 'It often happeth, that the very face sheweth the mind walking a pilgrimage, in such wise that other folk sodainly say to them a peny for your thought.'"Nov 3, 2010. The earliest written citation of the idiom "A penny for your thoughts" can be found in John Heywood's book "The Proverbs of John Heywood" which was first published in 1546. In that famous book you will also find classic idioms such as "Went in one ear and out the other", "No man ought to look a given horse in the mouth" and "Butter would not melt in her mouth."

**Example:** For several minutes they sat in silence, finally she said "A penny for your thoughts, Maya." Noticing that Raj was in a pensive mood, Tina said "A penny for your thoughts, Raj." "You have been quiet for a while, a penny for your thoughts." "You seem pretty serious. A penny for your thoughts."

## QUOTE BOX

It is not a lack of love, but a lack of friendship that makes unhappy marriages.—**Friedrich Nietzsche**

## RIDDLE THIS

How many letters are there in the English alphabet?

*Answer: There are 18: 3 in the, 7 in English, and 8 in alphabet.*

## SUDOKU

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Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

## CROSS WORD

**ACROSS:**

1 In short, our neighbouring country
4 Kilolitres, abbr.
7 Resinous deposit
10 River in Wales
11 Artificial Intelligence Advisory Committee
13 Give free ___ to : have free scope for one's imagination etc.?
14 Capital of Bosnia
16 Is in possession of
17 Science pertaining to plant life
19 Procrastinates, puts off or shelves
21 Secret police of erstwhile USSR
24 A sea-fog - "Ahar" anagram?
25 Mark of a monk
27 You can buy them from UTI offices
29 Complete, comprising the whole?
30 Persons who let on lease
33 Eight as a prefix
34 Brewed liquor
35 Longfellow's brave
38 Fringed shawl worn by some Jewish men, especially at prayer
39 In ___ of : in place of?
42 Protective cases for lamps or lights
46 Karl ___ : the father of Communism?
47 Scandinavian books
48 "Kay" changes into an ox
49 Seller-Furnished Equip.
50 Georgia, once: Abbr.
51 Airline Modifiable Inf.

**DOWN**

1 A fluid product of inflammation
2 As fresh __ _ lily? (2,1)
3 IPL team from Kolkata
4 Simran of Dilwale Dulhania Le Jayenge
5 Give the ___ : serve to show falsity of? (3,2)
6 Scholar 7 ____ Hoad : tennis great of days gone by?
8 Own, for the Scottish people
9 Central nervous system, acronym
12 World's deepest river
13 Monstrous bird of Arabian mythology
15 Severs, stops or terminates
18 Is not, in contracted form
19 Jury for one?
20 Put or take into higher position; elevate
21 Region of Gujarat famous for its desert and business community
22 Persona non ___ : person who is not acceptable to certain others?
23 "Able" to change into a local girl?
24 Swaying dance
26 Assuage
28 Chotta Nawab's sister seen in Rang De Basanti
31 Moon valley
32 Cold cuts with vegetables?
36 Coils, curls or curves
37 Fragrant oil used as perfume
38 Dinner jacket
39 Licentiate in Medicine and Surgery, acronym?
40 In short, one of the wings of the armed forces
41 Before, for the poet
43 Hand-woven Scandinavian rug - "ray" anagram?
44 National association of manufacturers, acronym
45 Winter sport footwear

**YESTERDAY'S ANSWER:**

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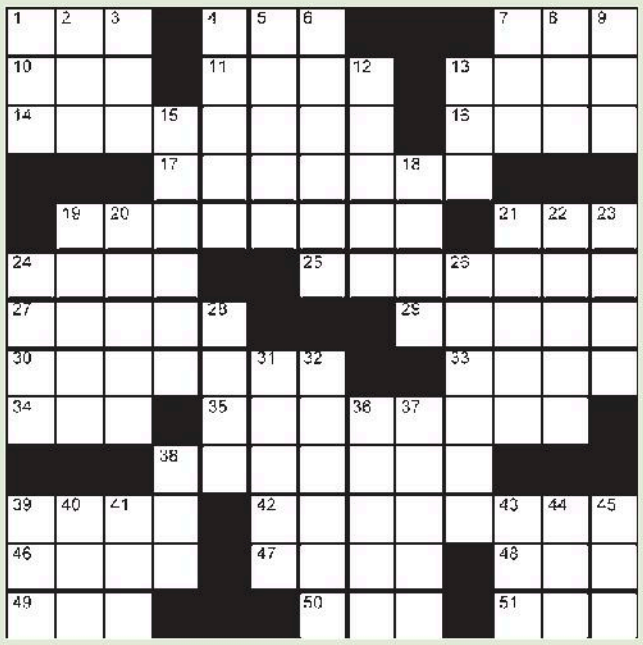

## CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

**YUJ VDQPQYW YI OJPZOJ WIZTGJPS RVW DJ**

**VC QRKITYVCY GZTNQNVP YIIP**

**TODAY'S CLUE: Y EQUALS T**

**Yesterday's Cryptoquip:** It is better for civilization to be going down the drain than to be coming up it.

## NOW SHOWING

| Movie | Theatre | Phone | Shows |
|---|---|---|---|
| **KANNADA** | | | |
| *Aake* | Shanthala | 2427584 | 4 Shows |
| | Mahadeshwara | 9900820093 | 4 Shows |
| *Naanobne Ollevnu* | Woodlands | 2422871 | 4 Shows |
| *Nammura Haiklu* | Prabha | 2423569 | 4 Shows |
| *Tiger* | Sangam | 2520494 | 4 Shows |
| *Raajakumara* | Gayathri | 2443568 | 4 Shows |
| | Lido | 2420885 | 4 Shows |
| | Saraswathi | 2541451 | 4 Shows |
| *Bangara S/o Bangarada Manushya* | | | |
| | Lakshmi | 2443584 | 4 Shows |
| | Sri Maruthi | 9980351129 | 4 Shows |
| **TELUGU** | | | |
| *Duvvada Jagannadham* | Thibbadevi | 2452958 | 4 Shows |
| | Padma | 2521923 | 4 Shows |
| | Rajkamal | 2423554 | 4 Shows |
| **HINDI** | | | |
| *Miss Khiladi* | Olympia | 2420737 | 4 Shows |
| *Raabta* | Balaji Deluxe | 2497199 | 4 Shows |
| *Tubelight* | Sri Nagaraj | 2520490 | 4 Shows |
| *Rooh* | Uma | 2520009 | 4 Shows |
| **TAMIL** | | | |
| *Vanamagan* | Sterling | 2481170 | 4 Shows |
| *Singham 3* | Skyline | 2481170 | 4 Shows |

### DRC CINEMAS — PH: 4240422, 4241800

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|---|---|---|
| *Transformers: Last Knight (E-3D)* | (S-1) | 10.40 am, 1.35 pm 7.05 pm, 9.55 pm |
| *Tubelight (H)* | (S-1) | 4.30 pm |
| | (S-4) | 7.10 pm |
| *Aake (K)* | (S-2) | 11.15 am, 1.45 pm 7.15 pm, 9.55 pm |
| *Raajakumara (K)* | (S-2) | 4.25 pm |
| *Despicable Me 3 (E)* | (S-3) | 11.30 am, 1.45 pm |
| *Baby Driver (E)* | (S-3) | 7.30 pm |
| | (S-4) | 11.00 am |
| *Baahubali-2 (Te)* | (S-3) | 4.15 pm |
| *Role Models (Ma)* | (S-3) | 9.55 pm |
| *Duvvada Jagannadham (Te)* | (S-4) | 1.20 pm, 4.15, 9.55 |

### INOX LIVE THE MOVIE — PH: 2533444 / 2533456

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|---|---|---|
| *Transformers: Last Knight (E-2D)* | (S-1) | 9.35 am, 12.40 pm 3.45 pm, 6.50 pm 9.55 pm |
| | (S-3) | 10.20 am, 9.00 pm |
| *Tubelight (H)* | (S-2) | 1.00 pm |
| | (S-3) | 3.35 pm |
| | (S-4) | 9.40 pm |
| *Duvvada Jagannadham (Te)* | (S-2) | 9.50 am, 3.40 pm 6.45 pm, 9.50 pm |
| *Aake (K)* | (S-4) | 10.40 am, 1.30 pm 4.10 pm, 6.55 pm |
| *Oru Cinemakaran (Ma)* | (S-3) | 6.25 pm |
| *Ek Haseena Thi Ek Deewana Tha (H)* | (S-3) | 1.25 pm |

Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

## AIR ON WEDNESDAY

**6.00 am Patriotic Songs, 6.10 Geetaradhana, 6.30 Chinthana, 6.45 Bhavageete, 6.50 Sponsored Prog., 8.30 Radio Doctor, 8.35 Sponsored Prog., 10.00 Hindustani Classical Music, 11.00 Kamanabillu, 12.00 noon Chukki Chinna, 12.30 Mahila Ranga, 1.20 Bhavageete, 1.30 pm Madhyanada Madhurya, 2.35 Chinnara Chukki, 4.00 Film Songs, 4.30 Folk Songs, 5.00 Gaana, 6.15 Folk Songs, 6.50 Krishi Ranga, 8.00 Yuvavani, 9.30 Vocal Recital, 10.00 Savinenapu.**

## EVENTS TODAY (JULY 4)

**Sri Krishna Seve Samithi Charitable Trust:** Akanda Vishnu Sahasra Nama Patana, Sri Krishna Temple, Gokulam 3rd Stage, **up to 6 pm.**

**Industrial Extension Cottage (INDEXT-C), Gujarat and JSS Urban Haat, Mysuru:** Gujarat Handicrafts Utsav-2017, JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Hebbal Industrial Area, **up to 9 pm.**

**Sri Shivayogiswamy Gadduge and Sri Mane Manchamma Temple:** Valedictory of 70th Samsmaranotsava of Sri Lingaikya Sri Shivayogi Swamiji, District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa inaugurates, Primary and Secondary Education Minister Tanveer Sait presides, Temple premises, 3rd Main, 6th Cross, Gandhi Nagar, **6 pm.**

**Rotary Mysore West:** Installation of Rtn. PHF C.S. Ravishankar as President and his team of office-bearers for the Rotary Year 2017-18, Rtn. PDG PHF Surya Prakash Bhat Installing Officer, Rtn. PHF P.V. Ramdas (Asst. Governor, Zone 8 RI Dist. 3181) guest of honour, Hotel Country Inn Suites, Hebbal, **6.30 pm.**

**Builders' Association of India (BAI), Mysuru Centre and Mysore Builders' Charitable Trust:** Pratibha Puraskar presentation to the children of construction workers, Dr. Ravindra Dastikop, Professor, CS&E, SDM College of Engineering and Technology, Dharwad, chief guest, S.R. Swamy, State Chairman, BAI, Karnataka, guest of honour, Rotary Centre, JLB Road, **6.30 pm.**

**Sri Digambara Jain Samaja and Padmasri Jain Mahila Samaja:** Ashada Nandishwara Ashtahnika Parva of Sri Hevilambinama Samvatsara, Discourse on 'Sripala Charite' by Suma Prasad, Sri Shantishwara Swamy Basadi, **7.15 pm.**

**Religious Endowment Department:** Sri Girija Kalyana Mahotsava, Shayanotsava, Sri Trinayaneshwara Temple, Palace premises, **9 pm.**

## EVENTS TOMORROW (JULY 5)

**Sri Chandramoulishwara Swamy Devasthanam Charitable Trust:** 75th Jayanthyuthsava-2017, Laksharchane Homa, Dhwaja Avarohana, Temple premises, Temple Road, Vani Vilas Mohalla, **9.30 am.**

**Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Committee of Assembly:** Meeting, ZP auditorium, Near Law Court, Chamarajapuram, **10 am.**

**Industrial Extension Cottage (INDEXT-C), Gujarat and JSS Urban Haat, Mysuru:** Gujarat Handicrafts Utsav-2017, JSS Mysore Urban Haat, Hebbal Industrial Area, **10 am to 9 pm.**

**Vijaya Vittala Composite PU College:** Inauguration of Science Club by chief guest Dr. C.D. Prasad, Retd. Scientist, ISRO, Bengaluru; Krishnegowda, President, Mysuru Science Foundation, presides, College Auditorium, Saraswathipuram, **10.30 am.**

**Sri Tyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust:** Music concert by Vidu. M.R. Sudha (vocal), Vid. C.N. Tyagaraju (violin) and Vid. G.S. Ramanujam (mridanga), Sri Rama Mandira, Jayanagar, **6.30 pm.**

**Sri Digambara Jain Samaja and Padmasri Jain Mahila Samaja:** Ashada Nandishwara Ashtahnika Parva of Sri Hevilambinama Samvatsara, Discourse on 'Pa.Pu. Shantisagara Maharajara Antima Sandesha' by M.P. Vishwasena, Sri Shantishwara Swamy Basadi (Kote Basadi, **7.15 pm.**

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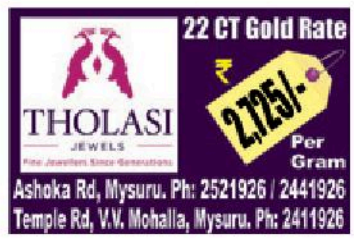

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